

TO: Clearing Member Firms; Back Office Managers

FROM: CME Clearing

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ADVISORY #: 17-365

SUBJECT: CDS Product Advisory – Markit iTraxx European Series 28

CME Clearing will expand its Credit Default Swap product offering to include the Markit iTraxx European Series 28. This series will be added to the product reference file one day prior to the launch date in both New Release and Production.

Index Name	Serie s	Tenors	Roll Dates
iTraxx Europe Series 28	28	3, 5, 7, 10 Year	Wednesday, September 20, 2017
iTraxx Europe Crossover Series 28	28	5 Year	Wednesday, September 20, 2017

Participants that wish to test before launch may do so in CME Clearing's New Release (UAT) environment effective immediately.

Below are the Markit iTraxx European Series 28 product name and corresponding product code available to clear at CME Clearing:

- Series 28 (ITX28.SR.MM.EUR) IT28 NEW
- Series 28 (ITXXO28.SR.MM.EUR) IX28 NEW

As announced on September 14, 2017, CME Group announced that it will exit the company's credit default swaps clearing business by mid-2018. During this transition, CME will continue to provide full clearing services so that participants can continue to manage their risk, including the roll to CDX 29. For additional information, a copy of the press release can be found <a href="https://example.com/html/hemes.com/h

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